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## WEDDINGS

### KREBS—RUSSELL

A pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday afternoon, June 12th, at the Lutheran Church, Westcott, when Verla LaRue, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Russell, became the bride of Albert George, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto A. Krebs. Rev. A. F. Reiner performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a floor-length dress of white satin, trimmed with pale blue velvet ribbon bows. Her finger-tip veil was held in place by a coronet of orange-blossoms and she carried a white leather Bible with streamers of white ribbon and forget-me-nots.

The bridesmaid, Miss Lucille Russell, sister of the bride, was gowned in yellow net with mauve accessories and carried an arm-bouquet of lilacs.

The dainty little flower-girl, Mildred Russell, cousin of the bride, wore pink net and carried a basket of roses, strewing petals down the aisle.

Mr. Lawrence Krebs was groomsman and Mr. B. Bartz usher. Mr. Clifford Murphy sang "O Promise Me."

Mrs. Russell, mother of the bride, was in mauve, while Mrs. Krebs, mother of the groom, chose a costume of dusky rose. Both carried lilacs.

A reception was held at the Rugby Hall, where eighty guests assembled. After the usual felicitations, luncheon was served. The bride's table was centred by a splendid wedding cake very prettily decorated by one of the bride's friends, Mrs. W. Banting. Rev. Reiner proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom fittingly responded.

The same evening a dance was held in the Rugby Hall in honor of the bride and groom, after which they left for a honeymoon in the mountains.

### LEHMAN—SWALM

A beautiful and impressive wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon, June 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Swalm, when their eldest daughter, Lila Clara, became the bride of Mr. Carl R. Lehman, youngest son of Rev. F. J. Lehman of Kitchener, Ontario. Rev. C. J. Hallman officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white crepe silk. Her veil of beautifully embroidered silk net fell gracefully from semi-coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of talisman roses.

## Give Camp Savings to Ambulance Fund

The Boy Scouts of Didsbury showed that they were made of good stuff and had the proper Scout spirit, when the stag and badger patrols made a real sacrifice by contributing a \$25.00 unit to the Red Cross Ambulance Fund last week.

This spring the boys conceived the idea of raising money to enable them to go to camp at Sylvan Lake this summer. They earned the money by digging gardens and doing other odd jobs.

When the call for an ambulance was made they decided, without any solicitation whatever, to purchase an ambulance unit, and the two patrols donated \$12.50 each.

If everyone could know what camp means to a Scout, they would realize what a sacrifice this means to the boys.

The Stag patrol comprises: Don Mortimer, Eldon Foote, Bill Newton, Harold Feeg, Frank Goosen, Jack Garner, Stewart Liesemer, Gordon Wordie and Joe Mayerchak, while the Badgers comprise: Donny Dunlop, Douglas Wordie, Earl Erb, Bill Moon, Lloyd Vogel, Don Fleury, Glen Hallman and Bob Mortimer.

## Opening Ceremonies Cancelled

The official opening ceremonies of the Banff-Jasper highway which were to have been held July 1st, have been cancelled.

The event was to have been held near the Columbia icefield and a large number of the leading men of both Canada and the United States had been invited to attend by the Dominion government, but under the stress of war conditions it was deemed advisable to dispense with the opening ceremonies.

However, the road was opened to the public last week and hundreds of cars from the States travelled this magnificent scenic highway during the opening days.

The Big Bend highway, it was announced, will be open for travel on July 1st.

ange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of talisman roses.

Miss Joyce Finlay, the bridesmaid, wore a lovely gown of dove rose sheer. Her hair was encircled with a bandeau of blue velvet flowers and she wore a corsage of carnations.

Little Miss Opal Swalm, very dainty in white sheer with pink sash and ribbon, was flower girl, gracefully strewing the path of the bride with lilac blossoms.

To the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Gladys Eby, the bridal party took its place in front of a floral arch on the lawn. During the signing of the register Mr. Walter Snyder, uncle of the bride, sang "Love Never Fails."

Following the ceremony a buffet breakfast was served on the lawn to 65 guests. The four-tier wedding cake was cut by the bride.

Later in the evening the bride and bridegroom left for a trip to Calgary and Banff, the bride travelling in a tailored suit of navy tricot, with a rose off-the-face hat, and pink and black accessories.

On their return they will be at home with the bride's parents until they take up their work as pastors of a church west of Cremona.

## Ambulance Fund Is Growing

The Red Cross ambulance fund is growing and the committee are confident that the objective will be reached by the time the campaign closes on July 1st.

There has been considerable enthusiasm shown both in town and in the country in the campaign. More than \$1,000.00 has already been turned in to the treasurer and there are many pledges in the hands of the manager that are not yet completed.

If you have not been contacted do not wait to be asked to join in making up a unit, but call in and see the committee: C. E. Reiber, H. Morgan, W. W. Gillrie and Jack Robertson.

There is quite a ways to go yet but if everyone does their duty the objective can easily be reached.

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## Home and School Association Organized.

A Home and School Association was organized at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. J. Hielop on Friday last.

Mrs. Curtie, of Calgary, provincial organizer of the Home and School Associations, outlined the aim and objects of the association. She pointed out that it was not a social organization nor was it an organization for airing grievances, but that the main object was to promote an intelligent and sympathetic co-operation between the parents and teachers in the interests of the school children and to educate the general public in what is being done in education and the methods used under the curriculum laid down by the Department of Education.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. John Hielop; Vice President, Mrs. Charles Mortimer; 2nd Vice President, Miss Collins; Secretary, Mrs. J. W. Halton; and Treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Ford.

The first meeting will be held early in September when all parents will be notified. The organization will be completed at that time and various committees appointed.

## Westerdale Council Meeting

The regular meeting of the Westerdale Council was held at Didsbury on Saturday last, Reeve Clark being in the chair and all councillors present.

The program of road work was discussed, after conditions had been observed when the council made a tour of the roads on the previous Monday and Tuesday. It was found that it would require larger expenditures on culverts and bridges, on account of the damage caused by high water in the spring.

It was decided to appropriate \$12,000 for public works and the program of grading in different parts of the municipality was laid out.

An application for Mothers' Allowance was approved. One Old Age Pension was approved and relief matters were discussed.

## Fair Prize Lists Now Available

The prize lists for the Didsbury Fair are now in the hands of the secretary, who will be pleased to hand one to anyone interested.

One feature of the prize list is the large number of special prizes that are being offered by local business houses.

## BIRTHS

Didsbury General Hospital

June 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Penner, a son

## Annual Meeting Mt. View Co-op. Livestock Assn.

The annual meeting of the Mountain View Co-operative Livestock Shipping Association was held at Innisfail on Saturday, June 15th.

The financial report showed a healthy condition and it was decided to pay a dividend of 15c per hog to all contract-signers as shown on the books at August 1st, for 1939 hogs.

The sum of \$100 was donated to the Red Cross, to be divided between the different shipping points.

After hearing of the improvement in the demand for beef in British Columbia since that province adopted compulsory beef grading, a resolution was passed, asking the Provincial government to institute a similar grading policy in Alberta.

During the year, the Association handled 21,735 hogs, 1,067 sheep and 2,145 cattle.

Mr. H. Hosegood, the retiring director, was re-elected for 2 years. Mr. S. O'Brien is the other Didsbury director.

Any shippers desiring to become contract signers should communicate with W. W. Gillrie before August 1st.

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## The Mighty Atom

One can imagine with what dismay producers of power of all kinds and from all sources must have read the recent announcement from New York of the isolation in a laboratory workshop of a new chemical substance, one pound of which, to quote newspaper despatches "is said to be capable of yielding the power output of 5,000,000 pounds of coal or 3,000,000 gallons of gasoline."

Significant, indeed, of the potential destructive power and the use to which it might be put by the Germans, if they can perfect it, is the name which has been given it—the "U-235". If that were not sufficient to arouse dread, the New York Times, which first announced the discovery, declared that the German government was aware of the research in this field being carried on in the United States and has instructed all its greatest scientists to concentrate on the problem of improving the process. "One pound of which is stated to have the explosive force of 15,000 tons of TNT." The German scientists in this field have been told to drop all other work and devote themselves to this task alone, says the New York paper.

Simple, too, is the method of application of U-235 to the process of developing power. All that is necessary is to immerse some of the new isotope in cool water when it will release energy in the form of steam. The process is akin to the generation of acetylene gas. As long as water makes contact with U-235 it will develop steam and all that is necessary to stop it is to cut off the supply of water.

### For Good Or Evil

While the substance, U-235 has been discovered for some time, it is only quite recently that scientists became aware of its immense possibilities for good or evil, according to the purpose to which it may be put. As the story goes, it was in February that a professor in the University of Minnesota, was successful in isolating "a minute fraction of a gram" and subsequently a professor at the University of Columbia subjected it to tests with an atom smashing machine. Since then the yield has been increased 200-fold, indicative of possibilities that a process for isolating the substance in large quantities may soon be found.

The immense commercial and industrial as well as a warfare potentialities of the U-235 can be sensed from the statement that five to ten pounds of the substance, plentifully available in many parts of the earth, is capable of driving a battleship or a passenger liner around the oceans "for an indefinite period without refuelling."

While the destructive use of such a substance as U-235, when used as a weapon of war would be so terrific as to beggar description and its holocaustic effects are almost beyond the imagination of man, its use in the arts of peace would be so beneficial to mankind as to be revolutionary. It is true that if a process can be discovered which will enable the substance to be isolated in large quantities and cheaply, it would ruin many industries and destroy an enormous amount of capital invested in such industries as coal and petroleum. On the other hand it would make available to man a cheap source of power, almost akin to perpetual motion.

Applied to peace time pursuits one can visualize a family setting out for a trip around the world in a steam driven automobile with a full supply of power for the entire trip in something less than a pound package in the trunk or under the back seat of the car. All that would be necessary to keep moving would be to occasionally renew a small tank of water at ordinary temperature. Gone would be the necessity of stopping every 200 or 300 miles to instruct a gasoline station attendant to "fill 'er up".

### Might Destroy Civilization

But when and if such a force, if available in quantity, were applied to the work of destruction as exemplified in the kind of warfare being waged by Germany against the Allies, the results would be too terrible to contemplate. They might be expected to rival the oft-related but mythical death ray.

In view of the ruthlessness of the Hitlerian method of conducting war on mass scale against open cities, and the German policy of slaughtering innocent women and children on wholesale scale, and of wiping out densely populated civilian areas by the square mile, it is not surprising to hear that the German military machine is interesting itself in the new discovery and that the scientists of that nation have been ordered to drop everything else in the interest of further development of U-235.

In the interests of humanity and of the very existence of civilization it is to be devoutly hoped that the development of U-235 as a practical and feasible source of power will be stayed until the Allied arms have prevailed and the world has once again been made safe for the peace-loving nations of the globe.

God forbid that the mighty atom should be used to destroy democracy.

### Bacteriological Research

Bacteriological research in the general field of agriculture and the related industries is now having many important applications. Bacteriology was developed first in connection with human medicine, and, in spite of the fact that out of the hundreds of species of bacteria known to science only a very few are recognized as causing disease, bacteriology is still connected in the lay of the Canadian flora.—Dr. J. M. Swaine, Director, Science Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture

### Two Good Deeds

When young Roland joined the Boy Scouts he thought he'd go one better than the others and do two good deeds a day.

So he had a look round to see what he could do.

First, he found a little mouse squeaking in the mousetrap and he took it out.

Good deed No. 1.

Then he found the cat was hungry, so he gave it the mouse.

Good deed No. 2.

Although the feathers of silkies may be either white or black, their skin always is black. They are the Negroes among fowl.

Remains of an aqueduct built by the Roman Emperor Claudius have been found by workmen near Naples.

The amount of water that air can hold is dependent upon its pressure and temperature.

### Does Not Use Them

#### Germany Has Never Made Anything Out Of Her Colonies

The idea of a poverty-stricken and over-populated Germany was opposed by Dr. E. G. Pleva, geographer of the University of Western Ontario, when he spoke at a dinner meeting of the Lions Club at Strathroy, Ont.

Dr. Pleva declared that a myth had grown up that Germany was over-populated. It was not a question of the number of people to the square mile, but a matter of how many people to the square mile that a country could support. Germany, with a population of 366 to the square mile, had stressed the over-population claim so long and steadily that it had come to be an accepted fact. But despite claims, they moved to take over two countries, Holland and Belgium, that were about twice as densely populated.

After asking whether Germany ever thought of Canada, the speaker declared that one of the best surveys ever made of Southwestern Ontario was made in 1932 by a German geographer from the University of Kiel, and he doubted that it was a coincidence that this same geographer turned out afterwards to be a high ranking official in the German army.

The idea that the Germans were good colonizers had been exploded. They did not do anything with their colonies when they had them. German immigrants did not go to German colonies. Figures had shown that an average of some 33 persons, or eight families a year had migrated from Germany to her colonies.

### Had Something To Say

#### Pompous Orator Had Great Opinion Of His Radio Address

Malcolm W. Bingay, in the Detroit Free Press, said years ago, when the radio was young, there was one of these civic outbursts of some kind in Detroit. A pompous orator of the old school was scheduled to make the speech of the day. He was all a "twitter" because it was to be a broadcast. He asked me if I would read his address to make sure that it was of the type that would go over the air. I did not have to read it; all I had to do was heft it. He had written a volume.

"This, my dear sir," I told him, "would take an hour to read even if it were cut in half. And you have only 15 minutes before the microphone."

He was stunned. "I can't," he insisted, "reduce this down to 15 minutes."

"Lincoln took only 110 words for his Gettysburg Address," I reminded him.

"I know that," he sputtered, "but then, damn it all, don't you see, I have something to say!"

### Vast Picture Crowds

#### Movie Audiences In United States Run Into Millions

Wondering at the size of motion-picture audiences at this late day is almost like trying to decide whether the automobile has a place in modern life. Nevertheless, there is a filip for the imagination in the thought of something like 900,000 persons witnessing the same screen play in a single theatre in the space of six weeks, even if the theatre is the largest of its kind in the largest city in the United States.

Something between eighty million and ninety million people go every week to the pictures in this country. In the course of six weeks this means half a billion patrons, about four times the present population of the country, a truly stupendous figure. But for a moment the specific number of 20,000 people a day, day after day for six weeks in a single theatre, is actually the more impressive.—New York Times.

### SELECTED RECIPES

#### MAKE IT BRANBURGER

Like a guard of honor, trusty branburgers are ready to do their duty at the picnic lunch. Each one is bound in its own strip of bacon, skewered and wrapped in gay wax paper. Everything done but the cooking—and what better place to do that than right "on the spot!" Cooked over the open fire, "Burgers" take first place in appetite satisfaction after a day's outing—and the bran content sets a new high in taste delight and economy. That jar in the lunch basket contains the Spanish Sauce. It will add a continental flavor to your branburgers.

#### Branburgers

- 1 egg
- 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 1 cup all-bran
- 1 lb. ground round steak
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped onion
- 1 tablespoon chopped parsley
- 10 slices bacon

Beat egg and add salt, pepper, milk and all-bran. Combine meat with onion and parsley. Add the soaked bran and mix well. Form into cakes about two inches in diameter and one inch thick. Wrap slice of bacon around each cake and fasten with skewer. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees F.) for 30 minutes or broil for 20 minutes. Serve with Spanish sauce. Yield: Five servings.

Note: Half cup grated cheese may be sprinkled over top of Branburgers before the last ten minutes of cooking.

#### Spanish Sauce

- 1 1/2 cups sliced onion
- 3 tablespoons fat
- 1/2 cup chopped green pepper
- 2 cups canned tomatoes
- 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce
- 1 cup stuffed whole olives
- Brown onions lightly in the fat. Add green pepper, tomatoes and seasonings. Simmer until mixture thickens, stir in olives and heat thoroughly. Yield: Three cups sauce.

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### Record Gypsum Production

#### Deposits Are Found In Many Sections Of Canada

Gypsum production in Canada set an all-time tonnage record in 1939, when the output amounted to 1,408,188 tons valued at \$1,922,957 as against 1,008,799 tons valued at \$1,502,265 in 1938, according to the Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa.

Canada ranked fifth among the world's gypsum producers during 1939, contributing 8 per cent. of the world production and 38 per cent. of that of the British Empire. The Dominion is fortunate in having extensive deposits of excellent grade gypsum, favourably situated for commercial exploitation. Nova Scotia is the largest producer, and is followed by Ontario, New Brunswick, Manitoba, and British Columbia. The materials produced are the hydrous calcium sulphate, commonly known as gypsum, the partly dehydrated material known as plaster of Paris, or wall plaster, and the anhydrous calcium sulphate known as anhydrite.

Prior to 1937 the Canadian production of anhydrite was exported principally for use as a fertilizer for the peanut crop in the Atlantic seaboard states of the southern United States, but there has since been an increasing market for this material in England, where it is used for the manufacture of sulphuric acid, ammonium sulphate, cement and special plasters. Owing to the war, overseas shipments have been curtailed, but it is possible that an industry will be started in Canada in which anhydrite will be used in the manufacture of products similar to those being marketed in England.

The use of gypsum products in the building trades has made rapid progress in recent years because of their lightness, durability, fire-resisting, insulating and acoustic properties. Tiles, wallboards, block, and special insulating and acoustic plasters have been developed.

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## Every Canadian Home Can Be Made Attractive By Judicious Use Of Trees

The old saying that a home is not a home until it is planted is true to-day as ever. Every unplanted home in Canada can be made more attractive by the judicious use of trees, shrubs, vines, flowers, and a well-kept lawn.

We are influenced by our surroundings to a greater degree than we sometimes realize. Children are particularly sensitive in this regard. Surely a home in and around which flowers are grown is a better place to bring up children than a home where no attention is paid to these friends of the plant kingdom. If children are taught to love flowers and become familiar with them, they will be filled with love for these things and there will be less room in their hearts and minds for the things that hurt and destroy.

Canada is a land of rare natural beauty from the Bras d'Or lakes in Cape Breton island to the mountain ranges of the Pacific coast. Nature has endowed this country with the most beautiful and the greatest variety of natural scenic grandeur to be found anywhere in the universe. Mountains, lakes, streams, forests, plains, waterfalls, all are to be found in great abundance. The things which are unsightly and unlovely are made by man, and it would seem that the least we can do is to make these man-made places sufficiently attractive that they will, in some measure at least, be in keeping with the great natural beauty to be found throughout this great Dominion.

There are many good reasons why every householder, rural or urban, should do his or her part toward making the home surroundings more attractive. In the first place, the money spent for nursery stock or other planting material is a good investment, and will increase the value of a home to a much greater extent than the amount spent for planting material. Further, in the full and satisfactory life there must be found time for both mental and physical relaxation, and where can one find a more satisfactory place to get away from wartime stress and strain than among the flowers of the garden?

Another reason for putting forth a special effort in home beautification work just now is to make Canada more attractive to tourists. The tourist trade from the United States is very important to Canada at the present time, and anything that can be done to help increase it will be a benefit to the Dominion as a whole.

We frequently meet with the objection that gardens and flowers cost too much or they take too much time. The truth is that it is not so much a matter of time or money as it is of desire and disposition. If we are disposed to have gardens and flowers and attractive home surroundings, we will have them no matter how busy we may be.

Your nearest experimental farm or agricultural college will gladly give you information regarding suitable varieties of planting material for the district in which you live. The investment that you make of time and money in this connection will pay great dividends in satisfaction, and if you make your home more attractive you have helped to improve the town or community in which you live.

If you help to make your home town or community more beautiful you have helped to make more beautiful Canada.

### In The Same Class

The captain saw a young soldier trying to cook his breakfast over a badly made fire. He showed him how to make a quick-cooking fire, and said: "Look at the time you are wasting. When I was in the Himalayas I often had to hunt my breakfast. I used to go about two miles into the jungle shoot my food, skin or pluck it, then cook and eat it and return to camp under half an hour." Then he wisely added: "Of course, you will have heard of the Himalayas?"

"Yes, sir," replied the soldier, "and also of Ananias and George Washington."

### Armaments For The Reich

#### Cost Germany Tremendous Sum And Country Staggering Under Debt

Weakened by seven years of heavy spending for armament and public works, says a despatch from New York, German finance found itself, at the opening of the war in the West, in a condition nearly as run down as that it reached only at the end of the Great War. In giving the German Army the finest equipment in the world—countless airplanes, cannon, tanks, rifles, submarines, and auxiliary craft for waging lightning war—the Government has plunged the nation into debt with a rapidity unrivalled even in the United States.

In the years immediately preceding the outbreak of war last September, the Reich government, in an effort to foot the enormous bills which Chancellor Hitler was running up in outfitting the German army with highly expensive mechanized equipment, taxed the German people far more heavily than they were taxed in the Great War. And the income which escaped the tax collectors' axe was gathered in by forced subscriptions to the government's securities.

But even these exactions on the income and savings of the German people did not suffice to meet the staggering costs of preparing for and waging Hitlerian war. The government has since 1934 made use of a special kind of I.O.U., variously known as work creation bills, rearmament bills and delivery bills, to pay German business for goods and services received. There are unmistakable signs, too, of use of crude sorts of inflationary devices, namely direct borrowings from the Reichsbank, and the printing of paper currency.

In his address before the Reichstag on September 1, as German troops were moving across the Polish border, Chancellor Hitler said that he had spent 90,000,000,000 marks (\$36,000,000,000) in preparing the Reich armed forces for war. Under the Nazi system full disclosure of the government's fiscal position is considered an outmoded concept. By the German government's own incomplete confession, however, the Reich debt had, up to a year ago, tripled under Nazi rule.

Lacking the means of payment for imported goods, Germany has turned to conquest of neighbors, as in the case of Denmark, to obtain the supplies it requires. So long as Germany controls the sources of supply of the materials its war effort requires, in the opinion of observers, it can finance its war effort—provided the Nazi regime's control over prices remains unbroken. But the German neighbors do not have all of the war materials which Germany needs for waging war, and unless the war can be won before the reserve supplies are exhausted, the miracle of finance of which German economic writers now like to boast will not avail to buy fresh supplies, it is felt here.

### Exactly What Name Implies

#### Plastic Wood Is Just Simply Wood In Pliable Form

Plastic wood is both things that its name implies; it is wood and it is plastic, according to an article in the recent issue of C-I-L Oval. Only the wood from one type of tree is used in making of the C-I-L product and by a special process this wood is pulverized into a flour as fine as the flour a housewife uses. Following this pulverizing process the blending of wood flour and binder is done so exactly that the finished product has all the attributes of wood and is, to all intents and purposes, simply wood in pliable form. Wood is thus transformed into a soft, putty-like substance, kept a prisoner that way in an air-tight container until such time as man moulds it to his purpose and lets it harden into wood again.

King Christian of Denmark is the world's tallest monarch. His height is 6 feet 6 inches.

### Censorship In Wartime

#### Only Used To Guard Against Giving Aid To Enemy

A Canadian newspaper publishes an unofficial report from London and adds this note: "Perhaps significantly, this despatch was passed through the censor intact."

Its comment indicates a common misunderstanding of the function of wartime censorship. J. A. McNeil, general manager of The Canadian Press, dealt with that very point when he said, in a recent report, that passage of an item by the censor did not guarantee its authenticity. The censorship, he added, was concerned only to guard against giving aid to the enemy, and might possibly find it advantageous to have inaccurate news given publication.

This is something readers should bear in mind when they study the war news. The official reports, British, French and Belgian, are the solid basis of information. They are supplemented by the despatches of correspondents from many points, and such despatches are read by the censors for anything which inadvertently might reveal the Allies' intentions or endanger the Allies' plans. Beyond that the censors are not interested.

Mr. McNeil added that in the main censorship regulations in Canada were "quite reasonable and based on demonstrable necessity." Newspapers generally have recognized that this is true. Ottawa Journal.

### Rare Fur-Bearers Domesticated

#### Valuable Animals Can Now Be Raised Successfully In Captivity

Rare fur-bearing animals are being domesticated in Canada, according to a recent report of fur farms which reveals that during 1938 there were eleven marten farms and one fisher farm in operation. During the year 128 marten and 25 fisher were born on the farms, and it seems altogether probable that these figures will increase yearly, as indications are that these valuable fur-bearers can be raised successfully in captivity.

Previously, for many years, breeders had tried to raise the marten and fisher, only to be baffled by repeated failures. Undaunted the fur farmers kept trying, remembering that the domestication of the silver fox was accomplished only with great difficulty and after years of persistence. Now that strains of marten and fisher born in captivity have been established, the growth of another branch of the valuable fur industry may be expected.

### Oyster-Eating Fish

Oyster-eating fish have been discovered along the Great Barrier Reef in Australia. A school of them visited an oyster bed and in a few hours left behind them a mass of crushed shell. They have no teeth, but crush the shell with their tough lips and swallow the oyster.

Creoles are not mulattoes, as many people imagine. They are descendants of white families, long settled in tropical climes.

## Daring Pilots Of Northern Air Trails Are Training Skilled Airmen For Allies

### Queer Star Discovered

#### Astronomers Have Agreed It Is Not In Ordinary Class

Josef F. Johnson of Palomar Observatory at Pasadena, Calif., has discovered a mysterious object in a star system comparatively near our own.

When he first observed the object it was regarded as just another supernova, or exploding star, of which 12 have been found with the 18-inch Schmidt telescope at Mount Palomar.

Then astronomers at Mount Wilson turned the 100-inch telescope on it and to their surprise found it had a spectrum much like that of an ordinary star.

"We know it can't be an ordinary star," Dr. Rudolph L. Minkowski said, "because we couldn't see an ordinary star that far away."

It is about 6,000,000 light years, or 36,000,000,000,000,000 miles distant, which puts it among the nearer nebulae.

"The object never appeared on previous photographic plates of this star system, which pretty well places it in the class of an exploding star, suddenly flaring to a brightness several million times that of our sun," he explained.

"Its magnitude is that of an average supernova, but its spectrum is entirely different."

### Letters Are Returned

#### Five Invaded Countries Cannot Receive Mail From Canada

Postal authorities face a formidable task in returning to the senders thousands of letters addressed to countries now in a state of war or under Nazi domination. Norway, Denmark, Finland, Holland and Belgium can receive no mail from Canada.

Letters sent back to Canadians who wrote to Finland many weeks ago have been across the Atlantic and back again. Large amounts of mail, bound for Belgium and Holland will have to be returned.

Holland and Belgium have been added to the list since the German invasion. They will remain there until arrangements are made to send mail through some neutral intermediary.

### King Carol Is Designer

King Carol II, like Goering, designs uniforms. The sovereign has designed new costumes for nearly every uniformed person in Roumania. This is saying a great deal, for in the Balkans uniforms are numerous, highly colorful and of greater importance than in many other countries.

The first baseball club to wear the uniform with short pants was the Cincinnati Reds in 1863.

## Dish-Drying's A Picnic With These



Household Arts by Alice Brooks

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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

As Canada's vast organization for turning out skilled airmen for the Allied crusade against Germany swings into stride, many men who pioneered the uncharted air trails of the Northwest Territories are finding their niche in the scheme.

But even before they actually took active assignments with the Royal Canadian Air Force and the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan these men had made a contribution to the Dominion's effectiveness in the air. By their exploits they instilled in Canadian youth a desire to fly.

To many of them it was routine business to fly mail and supplies or make a mercy trip into the hinterland through bad weather. Sky-riding around the rim of the Arctic they gathered experience and knowledge they could get nowhere else, but nevertheless of great value in any air service.

To-day some of these northern airmen are engaged imparting flying knowledge to youngsters enrolled in the R.C.A.F. Others are on coastal patrol work and still others, remaining civilians, are contributing their share as instructors.

Among those who have abandoned the bush lanes for the war effort are such veterans as Con Farrell, Stan McMillan, Harry Winny, Archie Van Hee, Tom Mahone, Jack Harriet and Wilf Cameron. North of the provinces those names are synonymous with service. They are of the brood that helped roll back the frontiers by taking into Canada's far reaches the necessities needed by on-the-ground pioneers.

One civilian bush pilot of some renown is Captain W. R. (Wop) May, Alberta superintendent of Canadian Airways Limited. He flew in the First Great War, and as an official of the Edmonton and Northern Alberta Aero Club is bringing along a new crop of war birds. His main concern is that youngsters should equip themselves with sufficient education for the now-complicated job of flying. Since he learned to fly the business has become more technical and intricate.

Flying to-day is a complicated business, and a man has to have plenty of education to understand it," Captain May told The Canadian Press.

Since last September the Edmonton club, under an agreement with the Dominion Government, has been giving preliminary training to 10 men, and seven have been transferred to eastern Canada for more advanced instruction. This service is typical of the contributions of flying clubs across the country.

Back in 1928 Con Farrell started his northern flying. By the outbreak of the Second Great War he was chief pilot for Canadian Airways, and he enlisted in the R.C.A.F. and moved to the air force base at Trenton, Ont., to take a navigation course. Also at Trenton are McMillan, chief pilot of Mackenzie Air Service, and Winny, who, until he enlisted, flew for the Hudson's Bay Company. McMillan was lost for two months in the north in 1929, with the Col. C. D. H. MacAlpine party.

Van Hee, Mahone and Harriet are on R.C.A.F. coastal patrol duty, operating out of Vancouver, while Cameron, Doug, Gordon and Dick Gladden are in training at Camp Borden. Ian Innes-Taylor, a former member of the R.C.A.F., left his post with Mackenzie Air Service when war broke out and re-enlisted with the Air Force to serve as an instructor at Camp Borden.

In Edmonton, instructing at the Aero Club are Maurice Burbidge and A. D. Kennedy and Captain James Bell, manager of the Edmonton Airport, which is now under jurisdiction of the Dominion Government. Still other northern flyers would be on R.C.A.F. service now, but before the war they joined Trans-Canada Air Lines, and in that essential service they are not available for war duty.

The Japanese alphabet contains two sets of characters. One for the men, known as katakana, and another for the women, known as hiragana.



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**J. E. Gooder - Editor & Manager**

**The World of Wheat**

Numbers of farmers have this spring sown small plots of some of the new varieties of wheat. Some farmers are wondering, however, how to make the best use of these plots.

The most important thing of all to guard against is the presence in the plots of plants of other kinds and varieties.

Professional seed growers take extraordinary precautions to prevent such mixtures taking place, knowing that once grain is mixed, there is very little that can be done to purify it.

One good method is to surround each plot with a clear space, several feet wide, of bare land, and to keep this space free from grain or tall weeds. Then, as soon as the new variety heads out, the plots should be gone over carefully, and undesirable plants such as bad weeds and other varieties of grain should be pulled up by the roots, carried to the end of the field, dried and burned.

Special precautions, too, will have to be taken in harvesting and in threshing these plots, and in later articles this column will tell of the practices usually adopted by the best seed growers to ensure a crop of seed as free as possible from harmful admixtures.

Following factors have tended to raise price: Britain has pegged the Pound Sterling at \$4.03 in U.S.A. currency -- Further crop complaints being received from south-eastern Europe -- South African corn crop expected to be well below last year -- Seeding backward in many sections of Australia.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Italy enters war on side of Germany -- Wheat crop outlook for Italy generally favorable -- Argentine corn crop expected to be 419 mil. bushels -- Barley crop of 302 million bushels indicated in the U.S.A. -- Minimum price peg at Chicago removed.

**Advices Uniform Hog Production**

Until there is some definite lead to the contrary, Canadian farmers producing hogs should settle down to the basis of arranging output to fit in with what they have done in previous years—what they consider best for themselves.

They should figure what is to be raised in ratio to what it will return, for labor and actual expense, all the while remembering that present conditions overseas may alter the entire situation.

This was a part of the message brought to Alberta stockmen by the chairman of the Canadian Bacon Board, Hon. J. G. Taggart, minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, in an address at the annual dinner meeting of the Western Stock Growers' Association in Calgary.

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**Agricultural Crop Report No. 3**

Crop conditions in all districts of Alberta are good, with the outlook promising. In the south eastern area of the province and in a small part of the Peace River district good general rains would be beneficial, but crops are not suffering. Many districts describe growing conditions as ideal.

Showery weather has occurred throughout the province during the past two weeks, with rainfall varying from a fraction of an inch to nearly three inches in the St. Paul area where it was urgently needed.

Growth of crops is strong and vigorous. In many districts despite the lateness of seeding, wheat has almost reached normal development for the season.

Seeding is completed except for the sowing of grain for greenfeed.

Pastures and forage crops are satisfactory.

Slight damage from grasshoppers and cutworms is reported from the south east corner and the Grand Prairie districts respectively.

Condition of livestock is good, with much improvement noted. Dairy production is mounting as pastures continue to advance. Poultry and beekeeping are normal.

Field crop growth despite the lateness of the season, has been so rapid in some areas that early seeded crops have now reached almost normal development. Wheat is from 6 to 8 inches in height in many districts and shows a strong vigorous growth with satisfactory stooling. Whenever moisture conditions were adverse during seeding, a remarkable growth has occurred since rain was received.

Coarse grains are making splendid growth, but are late.

The sowing of forage crops is taking place on an extended scale, while established stands, especially alfalfa, are reported as excellent.

Damage from insects is limited to grasshoppers in the south eastern corner of the province, and wire and cutworm damage in the Peace River. No serious damage is reported.

General livestock conditions are improving. In areas where a long winter occurred, stock is now satisfactory. There is no special movement of stock. In the south some horses are being sold for military purposes. Sheep shearing is nearly completed. Swine numbers are increasing with most reports indicating strong litters. A few reporters suggest losses of young pigs continue. Marketings are about 50 per cent over those for the same period last year. Sales from Junior Beef Calf Clubs have been highly satisfactory and some cattle from feed lots sold very well. Considerable interest has been displayed in two bull sales held recently. At Lacombe a record price of \$500.00 was paid for a year old Aberdeen Angus bull calf, sired by Bandoliers New Deal 2nd, a bull imported from Iowa in 1938 by Hon. D. B. Mullen, to herd the Vermilion School Farm herd.

Dairy cattle are now on good pasture and production is advancing in many areas. The industry remains about normal.

The poultry industry is proceeding at a normal level. With the coming of warm weather, lower grades of eggs are to be expected, but with proper care and feeding, the percentage of low grade eggs may be kept at a minimum.

A Weekend Special at Scott's—Men's Khaki Pants, all small sizes, to clear at \$1.00. Look 'em over!

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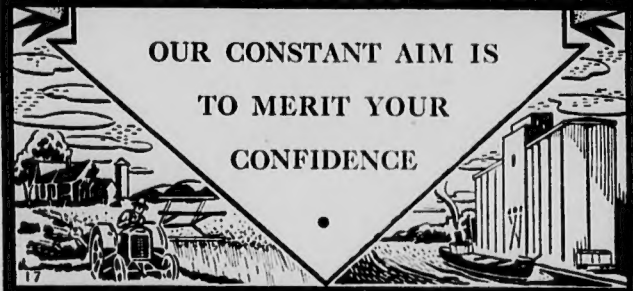
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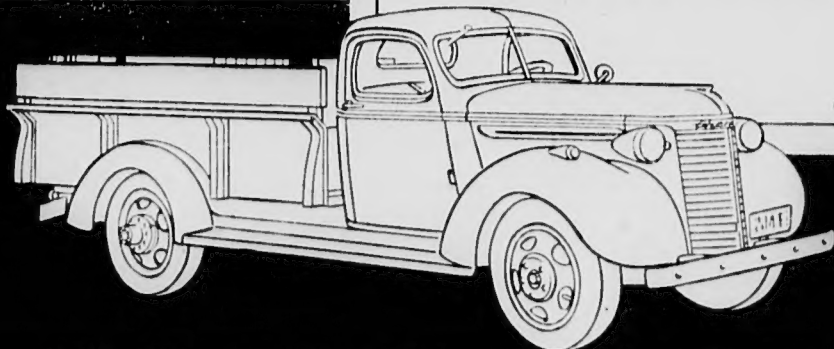
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**M.B.C. CHURCH**  
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**Sunday Services:**

1:30 p.m.—Sunday School.  
4:45 p.m.—Preaching Service.  
7:45 p.m.—Preaching Service, in-  
cluding Young People's meeting every  
alternate Sunday.  
Wednesday Evenings, 8 o'clock,  
Prayer Service.

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Rev. J. M. Fawcett, Pastor

11:00 a.m.: Sunday School  
7:30 p.m.: Service.  
Westcott 11:00 a.m.  
Westerdale 3:00 p.m.

**EVANGELICAL**

Rev. A. S. Caughell, Pastor

**Sunday Services:**

9:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
11:30 a.m. Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Service.  
Monday 4 p.m. Jr. Christian Endeavor  
Monday 5 p.m. Intermediate  
Monday 7:30 p.m. Senior  
Wednesday Evening, at 8, Prayer Mtg.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND**

Rev. A. D. Currie

June 23, 11 a.m., Holy Communion  
June 30, 3 p.m., Evensong  
June 19 (Wednesday), 9 a.m.,  
Holy Communion  
St. George's, Hartman  
June 16, 3 p.m., Evensong  
June 30, 11 a.m., Holy Communion

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Rev. Albert F. Reiner, Pastor

English: Every Sunday 11:00  
Didsbury English 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th  
Sunday at 2:30.

**St. Anthony's Catholic Church**

Father MacLellan, P.P.

1st and 3rd Sundays 11:00 a.m.  
2nd, 4th, 5th Sundays 9:00 a.m.

**LEGION HALL**  
Nights in Use

Monday: Board of Trade  
Spokes Club  
Tuesday: 4 to 6 Girl Guides  
7 to 8 Brownies  
8 Scouts  
Wednesday: 8 to 9:30 Rangers  
Thursday: 8 St. John's Ambulance  
Friday: 7 to 8 Cubs  
Last Saturday in every month: Legion

**Notes From the West**

Rugby W I Sports and Bazaar—  
this Saturday, the 22nd. Let's be  
seeing you, and we do mean you!

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lowrie and Mr.  
D. Sutherland were the Sunday sup-  
per guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hogg.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, Westcott,  
dined on Sunday with their daugh-  
ter, Mrs. G. Byrt.

Mrs. Alex Hogg was a Friday eve-  
ning and Saturday visitor with her  
daughter, Mrs. Avarde Orde.

Miss Connie Hosegood returned to  
Windsor, Ontario, on Friday. She  
was accompanied as far as Calgary  
by her mother, Mrs. J. Hosegood.

The Rugby diamond Sunday saw  
Bergen and Elkton swat it to a finish  
at softball, Bergen just emerging  
tops by 18-16.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hosegood  
and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Evans were  
Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs.  
Miller at Westward Ho.

Mrs. Tryonek and baby Jimmie  
returned to their home at Nobleford  
on Thursday after a visit of several  
weeks with her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. J. Hosegood.

**Melvin Notes.**

Don't forget the whist drive in aid  
of the Red Cross to be held at Mrs.  
Roy McNaughton's next Thursday,  
June 27th.

Come and dance in aid of the Red  
Cross ambulance fund at Melvin on  
Friday next, June 28th. Music by  
Hugh's Five Stars.

I O D E Dance at Melvin on Fri-  
day, July 5, in aid of the I O D E  
Bomber Good music. Lunch will  
be served.

Softball on Monday, June 24th—  
Clovermount at Melvin. Good luck  
to the Melvin boys, make this your  
first win.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dupont, Mr.  
and Mrs. Ross Youngs and Mrs.  
George Youngs motored to Edmon-  
ton on Sunday.

**Around Alberta...**

Construction and airfield work to  
the value of five million dollars will  
commence in Alberta within the  
next three weeks, the Commons  
was told last week by Hon. C. G.  
Power, Minister for Air. This is  
the Albertan total of a fifty-two mil-  
lion dollar construction scheme in  
connection with the Empire Air  
Training proposals. Alberta points  
included are Edmonton, \$48,282;  
Lethbridge, \$27,760; Calgary, \$409,-  
547; Airdrie, \$89,000; Penhold,  
\$24,250; Macleod \$340,000; Gran-  
um \$207,400; Peace, \$62,800;  
Medicine Hat, \$352,280; Holsom  
\$204,900, and Whitley, \$50,000.

Calgary is going to win fame this  
summer whether she likes it or not.  
With the annual convention of the  
Canadian Weekly Newspapers Asso-  
ciation attracting a possible 400  
editors and publishers of the nation's  
press will also be another 115 mem-  
bers of the Washington State Week-  
ly Press Association. All will at-  
tend the Stampede. The Canadian  
newsmen will travel over the new  
Banff Jasper Highway first, and will  
then return to Calgary for its unique  
yearly rodeo. The Washington  
pulse-takers of the nation will visit  
the Cowland Capital in a body. This  
must be the world's greatest public-  
ity break for Calgary. Five hundred  
editors can produce a veritable deluge  
of good stories.

Decision of the United States to  
impose passport regulations on Can-  
adians wishing to travel south of  
the border will not result in recip-  
rocal action, it has been intimated by  
Ottawa authorities. The U.S. or-  
der comes into effect July 1st. Can-  
adians will then pay \$5.00 for a  
Canadian passport but will not be  
charged for the U.S. visa. A family  
arrangement permits a man, wife  
and all children under 16 to travel  
together under one passport. United  
States publicity men who visited the  
Legislative Buildings at Edmonton  
this week did not favor the new  
ruling. They said many organiza-  
tions in the States shared their con-  
demnation.

**Arrangements Made  
for Rest Room**

At the Town Council on Monday  
evening arrangements were made  
with the Rosebud Hotel for mainte-  
nance of the men's and ladies' rest  
rooms for the convenience of country  
people and visitors.

**Schedule for Alberta Fairs.**

Provincial government officials re-  
leased Saturday dates of 15 Alberta  
Classes "B" and "C" fairs. In ad-  
dition to those announced there are  
two Class "A" fairs in the province,  
Calgary and Edmonton.

"B": Red Deer	July 22-24
Camrose	July 25-27
Vegreville	July 29-31
Vermilion	Aug. 1-3
Ll'minster	Aug. 5-7
"C": Didsbury	July 24
Olds	July 26-27
Lacombe	July 29-30
Benalto	July 31-Aug 1
Falher	Aug. 2
Goose Creek	Aug. 7
Waprepe	Aug. 9
Lousana	Aug. 14
Wildwood	Aug. 22
Alix	Aug. 23

**A.M.A. Motor Patrols  
Now In Action**

Continuing the policy adopted a  
few years ago the Alberta Motor As-  
sociation will operate motor cycle  
patrols on main highways again this  
season.

These patrols have commenced to  
function, the Edmonton branch  
sending out its two patrol officers on  
May 19th. They will continue  
throughout the summer touring sea-  
son. The Calgary branch of A.M.A.  
also operates a motor cycle patrol  
service.

These patrols are growing in  
popularity with tourists, as their re-  
ports signify from year to year.  
They provide immediate assistance  
in case of emergency, seek aid where  
necessary, and assist many a driver  
in difficulties to get to a garage or  
service station.

These patrols also maintain a sharp  
lookout for law violators.

Drivers whose cars have defective  
lights, which is a general condition  
in this province, are informed and  
urged to have necessary repairs or  
adjustments made without delay.

Reckless and dangerous drivers al-  
so are checked up by these patrols  
and where it appears that there is  
flagrant violation of the law or regu-  
lations, the matter is reported to the  
police authorities.

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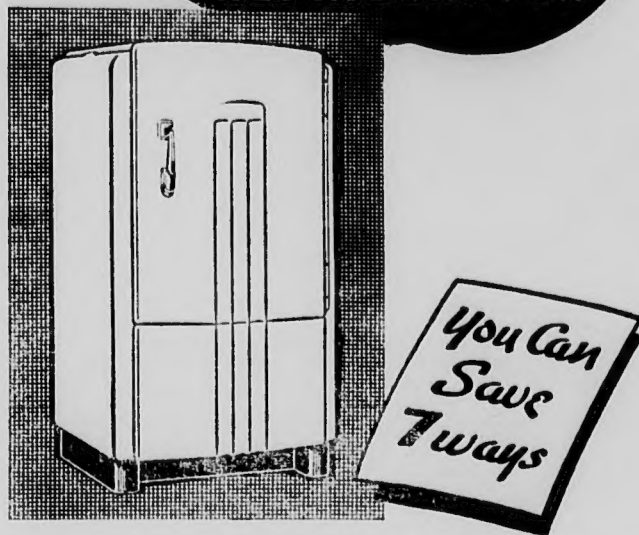
Proportionately low fares to and  
from other stations.

OTHER HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS:  
See Alaska and the Yukon—9-  
day "Princess" Cruises—Van-  
couver to Skagway and return.  
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spoil and have to be thrown away? A 1940  
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- 3 Food bargains can be stored until needed.
- 4 Expensive last-minute shopping reduced.
- 5 Left-overs made into appetizing dishes.
- 6 Prepared foods made up in quantity.
- 7 Desserts made at home at lower cost.

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Roosevelt administration and congressional leaders agreed to raise \$3,000,000,000 of new taxes in the next five years to pay the cost of United States defence.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Anderson, of Toronto, won the open pair championship in the annual Canadian-American contract bridge tournament.

The Victoria Longshoremen's Association have voted unanimously to contribute \$1 per month per man to the Dominion government for Canada's war effort.

Lord Beaverbrook, British minister for aircraft production, announced appointment of an "emergency committee to deal with production of aircraft equipment."

The supreme Soviet ratified a trade and navigation agreement between Russia and Yugoslavia. A protocol appended to it was signed in Moscow May 11.

President Roosevelt asked congress to add \$32,000,000 to the \$5,000,000 already appropriated for the training of civilian air pilots during the fiscal year beginning June 30.

Dr. J. M. Dixon, of Calgary, was elected president of the Dominion Dental Council of Canada at the biennial meeting of the council in Toronto. Dr. A. J. Brett, of Regina, was named secretary-treasurer.

A large scale Japanese bombing raid caused 500 deaths at Shanfu, Shensi province, on May 19, delayed advices reported. Three hundred persons were killed in a single shelter which received a direct hit.

Alberta's oil production for the first four months of this year was more than half a million barrels above that of the same period last year, according to a report issued by the Alberta department of lands and mines.

## Causes Many Accidents

Opening Door Of Fast Moving Car Is Always Dangerous

A passenger riding in the back seat of an automobile that was moving at a speed of about 50 miles an hour, noticed that one of the doors was not closed securely. In order to slam it shut, he opened it a little. As he did so, a rush of air caught it and swung it completely open, pulling him out of the vehicle. His head struck the ground, and he sustained injuries which cost him his life. Each year about 300 persons in the United States fall to their death through doors of moving passenger automobiles, opened deliberately in circumstances similar to those in the instance mentioned or somehow opened accidentally. — Metropolitan Life Bulletin.

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## MICKIE SAYS—

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## According To History

As Mark Of Affection Kiss Is Comparatively Modern

Although the kiss of respect, reverence and family affection is older than the days of the New Testament, osculation as an auxiliary of love is, according to Mario Maggiori, writing in La Tribuna Illustrata of Rome, of comparatively modern invention, for this brand of kiss was unknown in India, China and Japan (where it is illegal) until recently and is still unknown among the Eskimos and Maori.

As the significance of the kiss in ancient Rome has been a matter of dispute among historians, from Theodor Mommsen to Guglielmo Ferrero, he pays some attention to this phenomenon and then traces the history of osculation through the Middle Ages and the Renaissance down to its popularity and scientific analysis in the United States:

"In ancient Rome the kiss was something more than an expression of courtesy. Women were forbidden to drink wine, and any male relation had the right to kiss a woman on the mouth in order to find out if she had transgressed the law.

"To kiss a person's foot was the natural act of submission and humility on the part of the kisser. Barbarossa, for instance, was compelled to kiss the foot of the Pope he so obstinately resisted. But not all vassals relished the symbolic humility of kissing the foot of an overlord."

"The Viking chief Gange Rolf, forefather of William the Conqueror, did not like the idea at all when he came to offer submission to his sovereign, Charles of France. The actual kiss on the foot did not disturb him; what he objected to was kneeling in order to do it. So he grasped the King by his feet and lifted them up to his mouth. The King fell off his throne, but since Gange Rolf had actually kissed the foot the ceremony had to be taken as fulfilled, the more so since the huge Viking was not a man to be trifled with.

"It is said that Louis XII, of France kissed every pretty woman in Normandy. In the fifteenth century every Frenchman who kept three lackeys or more was permitted to kiss any Frenchwoman he took a fancy to, except relatives of his superiors.

"An American scientist has warned the world against kissing. A kiss, he holds, reduces one's length of life by a year. But nobody seems to believe him."

## Gardening

Can Start Yet

Even in the warmer sections of Canada it is still possible to have a splendid garden. There are plenty of things to plant which will come on quickly. Experienced gardeners in recent years have been purposely holding back a portion of lettuce, spinach, carrot and other vegetable seeds so that the harvesting season may be extended just that much longer.

Early June is the ideal time in most of Canada to plant seed of those hot weather things like melon, cucumber, medium or late corn, and beans. It is not safe in many districts to set out celery, tomato, cabbage and pepper plants much sooner. There is still plenty of time to plant dahlia, gladiolus and canna bulbs or corns among the flowers.

Need Support

Dahlias, tomatoes, large cosmos or nicotine, young shade trees, new climbers, all benefit from some artificial support while they are getting started.

For tall individual flowers or tomatoes, six-foot stakes of wood or steel are advisable and the plant is tied to these loosely with soft twine or raffa. Stouter and perhaps longer stakes will be used with shade trees and correspondingly shorter ones for the smaller flowers.

Garden Pests

Garden insect enemies are divided into two groups: those that eat holes in the foliage and those that suck out the juices. For the first named, poison is usually applied, while the suckers are attacked with a burning spray which penetrates. Often when both are present, a combination of poison and something that burns, such as lime, sulphur and arsenate, gives the best results. All seed stores carry ready-made spray mixtures.

When fungus attacks the plants the foliage usually turns yellow or brown, or white spots like mildew cover the leaves. Fungus is most common in warm, murky weather. Spraying with Bordeaux Mixture, or dusting with specially finely ground sulphur is advised.

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## Commonplace But Disturbing

Sound Of Planes Makes Terror In Europe Very Real

Ann Rutherford, in the Stratford Beacon-Herald, says:

Out of the night comes a steady, subdued hum. The earth vibrates in rhythm with it, so that even indoors the house is filled with the far-off sound. The noise grows louder, then recedes. And there against the black sky above, moving deliberately onward, are the lights of an airplane, flying through the night.

During the past few years, the airplane has become almost as commonplace as the automobile. It has cut down distance between cities. It has crossed the ocean. It has given mankind a weapon for peace or for war.

In daylight, the plane passes almost unnoticed. Its sound mingles with the noises of the street. A fleeting glance upward may satisfy curiosity as to which way it is going, but that is all.

Night flying, though, is different. Even in the cities on the usual air lanes, the sound of the motor against the stars has an eerie note. People stop to watch for a few moments the passing of the lights, paying the tribute of a moment's silence. And far from the travelled air routes, the sound of an airplane by night is disturbing.

Somehow, though its peacefulness is assured in this fortunate country, there is a hint of menace in the hum. The vibration holds a hidden threat of forces which could be unleashed in a trice, to bring disaster. Even the steady navigation lights glow derisively like monstrous fireflies against the blackness, promising no good to mankind.

Of course, we know the craft is a peaceful one. It is bent on nothing more than practice flying. But within itself are the potential terrors which belong with those deadly flying ships of each day's front-page news. It carries no bombs, it needs no machine guns, but it is first cousin to those planes whose mission in life is to destroy.

Perhaps the time will come when an airplane by night will be a pleasant thing to hear. But now it makes only too real the dread which hangs like a pall over the blacked-out cities of Europe. Small wonder we shrink instinctively as we listen to it flying onward!

## Doctor Uses Parachute

Russia has a "parachute doctor" whose missions of mercy contrast with the exploits of parachutists in the war in western Europe. He is Dr. A. A. Poll of Odessa, who has used the parachute method 194 times to reach urgent cases in outlying districts where his plane could not land.

## I Read --- And Write --- For You

By JOHN C. KIRKWOOD

Perhaps you will be attending this year's New York World's Fair, and if so, you may dine there—at some one or other of the eighteen foreign cafes—those representatives of Belgium, Brazil, Great Britain, Czechoslovakia, Finland, France, Japan, Hungary, Iceland, Iraq, Norway, Poland, Roumania, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and Venezuela. On the Swedish menu will be crayfish and pancakes smothered in linganberries. Hungary will serve its famous goulash, and will have a gypsy band to entertain you. At the Swiss Chateau you will eat bratwurst and aromatic cheese fondues. In the Italian place you will, of course, get spaghetti. Venezuela will feature its hellacious and long, cool rum punches. Poland will serve its noted hams and 100-year-old honey wine. Czechoslovakia will serve pre-Munich Pilsen beer along with roast goose and knoedels. At the Finnish cafe you will be able to get piirakka (small meat pies, served with bouillon), kaali-kaareita (stuffed cabbage roots), and reindeer sandwiches; at the Belgian cafe you may have eggs a la Bruges, and at the Brazil restaurant, spicy feijocada (black bean, pork and rice dish), while Turkey will offer you shish kebab (skewered lamb).

And when you return to Canada, it may be that humble spinach and turnips and buttermilk will aid you to recover from a gastronomic spree.

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To launch a torpedo from a submarine will cost for the torpedo alone \$10,000; and the bombs dropped by a single bomber on a single flight will cost \$4,000. It costs \$1,000 to train a soldier. His rifle costs \$30. To fire aircraft guns at enemy planes from a single battery costs \$3,500 a minute. A tank will cost from \$5,000 to \$50,000. A plane will

cost from \$30,000 to \$200,000. In the last great war it cost \$25,000 to kill a soldier. A battleship of major size costs \$40,000,000.

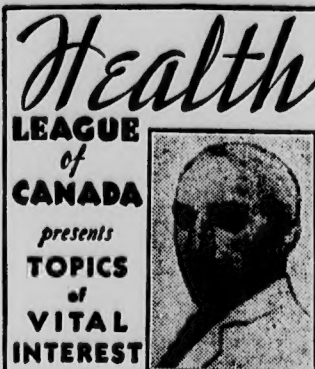
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Where will Canadians spend their summer holidays this year? Will it be in Canada, or will they go a-cruising—say to South America, or to far-off Australia, or to Tahiti, or to Alaska?

The much publicized Tahiti is becoming a tourist objective. Tahiti is one of an island group in the Southern Pacific. It is a small island, about 33 miles long, with a 120-mile coast. A motor road skirts the island. It was to this island that the infamous Captain Bligh made real to us by Charles Laughton in a "Mutiny on the Bounty" film—and his crew went in 1788. But to-day the island's people may be said to be civilized. They have moderately good farms and schools and shops. It is a tropical island, with tropical flora, and has mountain peaks. There one can see pearl divers and outrigger canoes.

Then, if one wants to see something very ancient, one can go to Yucatan, where, centuries before the Spaniards went to the New World, the Mayas had built up a very remarkable civilization, and had built strange monuments. Ancient Yucatan has been called the American Egypt.

The Mayans had fine templed cities—cities with very wonderful buildings made gay with carvings and colored frescoes. They had astronomers. They had pyramids and heroic sculptured figures. Just what blotted out this strange and highly-developed Mayan civilization remains a mystery. This year one can visit Yucatan—just 48 hours distant from New Orleans, by ship across the Gulf of Mexico.



by DR. J. W. S. McCULLOUGH

## INSIDIOUS WHITE PLAGUE

The value of systematic and unrelenting combatting of disease is shown in the decline that has been brought about in the incidence of tuberculosis in recent years, the Health League of Canada pointed out to-day.

But now, when the Dominion is engaged, with the rest of the Empire, in a more spectacular war with a vociferous and blatant enemy, there is need of a reminder that the insidious White Plague still lurks in ambush. War periods are always favorable to the spread of tuberculosis, and more than ordinary precautions must be used to prevent its advance.

Of first importance, particularly in the case of children, is an adequate supply of nourishing food—not necessarily expensive food, but a diet which will contain all the essential minerals, proteins and vitamins. For those who are ignorant on such subjects, the Dominion Government and the Health League of Canada issue instructive and valuable leaflets.

Sunshine and fresh air are of almost equal importance, and children should be encouraged to spend as much of their day as possible in the open air during the brighter months.

Modern schools are so built and arranged that the child is almost always in healthful surroundings while at his studies, and up-to-date educational methods preclude the probability of his being over-worked. There is more possibility of his being "over-played".

Both exercise and rest are needed by the growing child, and too long and too strenuous play should be guarded against. A child may be injured by indulgence in games and sports which are beyond his strength, even more easily than his father may by long and arduous labor.

Windows of bedrooms should be kept open at night, but at the same time the child should be protected against draughts. And don't think the child does not need a good breakfast. It is one of the most important meals of the day, taken after a fast of perhaps fourteen hours or more, and it must provide the child with strength and energy until noon. His breakfast should always include milk, a cereal, perhaps an egg, and if possible raw fruit.

A child is better if he is not "pampered", but unobtrusive supervision of such matters as health habits, clothing and companions should be exercised.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to—The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

## Artificial Eyes

Were Manufactured In Egypt And Used To Adorn Mummies

The earliest artificial eyes of which we have definite information were manufactured in Egypt and used for the adornment of mummies. Dr. Gordon M. Bruce, of New York, contributes a fascinating article on the subject to "Annals of Medical History." He traces the use of artificial eyes for artistic purposes through Syrian, Greek, Roman and Asiatic history. "The date," he says, "at which artificial eyes were first used to replace those lost by disease or accident is a matter of great dispute. From about the middle of the sixteenth century their use is well known and Pare (1561) speaks of them in terms which seem to indicate that his use of them was no innovation."

The word "ornery" is a corruption of "ordinary". 2362





## The Park Lane Mystery

By Edgar Wallace

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### CHAPTER V.—Continued

#### No Followers

Once or twice he had looked at his watch, a little furtively, she thought, yet it seemed that he was prepared to break any appointment he had made, for he lingered over his coffee until she brought a happy evening to an abrupt close by putting on her gloves. As they were driving back to her lodgings:

"I haven't asked you very much about yourself. That is the kind of impertinence which really scares me," he said, "but I gather that you're an unmarried lady—and unengaged?" he asked suggestively.

"I have no followers," she said without embarrassment, "and I hope that confession will offer no encouragement to the philandering constabulary!"

He chuckled for fully a minute. "That's good," he said at last. "Philandering constabulary" is taken into use for special occasions. You're the first woman—"

"Don't!" she warned him. "I've ever met with a real sense of humor," he concluded. "I'm sorry to disappoint you."

"I wasn't disappointed. I expected something banal," she said. "My house is the third on the left—"

She got down without assistance and offered her hand, and as he looked past her toward the door of the house:

"The number is 163," she said, "but you needn't write unless you've something very policy to write about. Good night!"

Jim Carlton was smiling all the way to Whitehall Gardens, and that tickling sense of amusement still held when he followed the footman into Sir Joseph Layton's study.

The words "Joseph Layton" are familiar to all who carry passports, for he was the Foreign Secretary, a man of slight figure and ascetic face, and possibly the most cartooned politician in Britain.

He looked up over his big-horn-rimmed pince-nez as Jim came in with a little bow.

"Sit down, Carlton." He blotted the letter he had been writing, inserted it with punctilious care into an envelope, and addressed it with a flourish before he spoke.

"I've just come back from the House. Did you call before?"

"No, sir."

"Humph!"

He settled himself more easily in his padded chair, put the tips of his fingers together and again scrutinized the detective over his pince-nez. "Well, what are the developments?" he asked, and added: "I've seen the cables you sent me. Curious—very curious indeed. You intercepted them?"

#### Prepared For A Killing

"Some of them, sir," said Jim. "A great deal of the correspondence of the Rata Syndicate goes through other channels. But there's enough

there to show that Rata is preparing for a big killing. I should imagine that every big brokerage house in the world has received similar instructions."

Sir Joseph unlocked a drawer of his desk, and, pulling it open, took out a number of sheets of paper fastened together by a big brass clip. He turned the leaves slowly.

"I suppose this one is typical," he said.

It was a message addressed to Rata Syndicate, Wall Street: "Be ready to sell for 15 per cent. drop under-mentioned securities."

Here followed a long list that covered two pages of writing, and against each stock was the number to be sold.

"Yes," said Sir Joseph, stroking his little white mustache thoughtfully. "Very peculiar, very remarkable! As you said in your letter, these are the very stocks which would be instantly affected by the threat of war. But whom on earth are we going to fight? The continental situation was never easier. The Moroccan question has been settled. You read my speech in the House last night?"

Jim nodded. "Upon my word," said Sir Joseph, "I think I was very careful to avoid anything like unjustifiable optimism, but, searching the world from China to Peru, I can see no single cloud on the horizon."

"Is there any trouble with America—I seem to remember seeing something about their mandate in the Southern Seas?"

Sir Joseph smiled.

#### Viewpoint

"You can always leave out America as a possible source of trouble," he said. "We shall have our newspaper controversies, but the real difference between American mentality and British mentality is the difference between the Conservative and the Liberal mentality—the Republican and the Democratic mentality. We shall never be passionate friends with America, any more than the Republicans of the United States will be passionately friendly with the Democrats. The difference between us is solely one of point of view."

"Russia?" suggested Jim.

Sir Joseph shook his head.

"You can't quarrel with a sick child," he said, "however naughty he may be—and, as a matter of fact, our relationships are improving there."

Jim Carlton reached out, took the papers and read them through carefully.

"I think," said the Foreign Minister with twinkle in his eye, "you have at the back of your mind the vision of some diabolical conspiracy to embroil the world in war. Am I right? Secret agents, traffic in secret places, cellar meetings with masked and highly placed diplomats?"

"Nothing so romantic," smiled Jim. "No; I wasn't brought up in that school. I know how wars are made. They grow as storms grow—out of the mists that gather on marshlands and meadows. Label them 'the rising clouds of national prejudice', and you've got a rough illustration."

"Come, now, Mr. Carlton, who is your ideal conspirator? I'm sure I know. You think Harlow is behind Rata, and that he has some diabolical scheme for stirring up the nations?"

"I think Harlow is behind most of the big disturbances," said Jim slowly. "He's got too much money; can't you get some of it away from him?"

"We do our best," said the Foreign Minister, dryly, "but he's one of the

few people in England who can look the supertax collector in the eye and never quail!"

Jim went back to Scotland Yard expecting to find Elk, but learned that that intelligent officer had left earlier in the evening for Devonshire. He was to meet Ingle on his release from prison and accompany him to town. And Inspector Elk's mission was certainly not on Aileen's behalf, nor had he any humanitarian purpose in preparing the convict for news of the burglary.

The first idea (and this proved to be wrong) was that there was a reason and a mind behind this crime. Something had been taken of such value as justified the risk. The sudden appearance of Harlow in the flat immediately after the crime had been committed had convinced Carlton that this visit was associated with the safe robbery. Harlow should have been at a city banquet—Jim had been trailing him all that day and had known his destination. Indeed, his name had appeared in the morning newspapers as having been present at the dinner. And yet, within an hour of the accident on the Embankment, Harlow had turned up at Fotheringay Mansions, and had not designed to offer an excuse for his absence from the dinner, although he knew (Jim was satisfied of this) that he had been trailed.

### CHAPTER VI.

The early morning found Inspector Elk shivering on the windswept little platform of Princetown. There were very few people in the waiting train at that hour; a workman or two on their way to an intermediate station, a commercial traveller who had been detained overnight, and was probably looking forward to the comforts of Plymouth, comprised the list. It was within a minute of starting time, and he was beginning to think that he had wasted his time getting up so early, when he saw two men walk on to the platform. One was a warder and the other a thin man in an ill-fitting blue suit. The warder disappeared into the booking office and came back with a ticket, which he handed to the other.

"So long, Ingle!" said the officer, and held out his hand, which the convict took grudgingly.

He stepped into the carriage and was turning to shut the door when Elk followed him, and the recognition was immediate. Into the keen eyes of Arthur Ingle came a look of deep suspicion.

"Hallo! What do you want?" he asked harshly.

"Why, bless my life, if it isn't Ingle!" said Elk with a gasp. "Well, well, well! It doesn't seem five years ago—"

(To Be Continued)

### Thirty Years Of Service

#### Chauffeur To Late Lord Tweedsmuir Dies In England

Word was received at Government House, Ottawa, of the death at Elsfeld, Oxfordshire, England, of Amos Webb, for 30 years chauffeur to the late Lord Tweedsmuir. Webb came to Canada in 1935 when Lord Tweedsmuir was appointed Governor-General. He suffered a stroke on the same day Lord Tweedsmuir became ill, but recovered enough to accompany Lady Tweedsmuir back to England in March.

#### A New Parachute

The Italians have developed a new parachute. The chute employs a single wide belt that encircles the wearer's body, instead of the sling type of harness that is commonly used in the United States. 2362

### Others Have Tried It

#### Russian Woman Anarchist Found She Could Not Remake World

The death of "Red Emma" Goldman was not an event, as Tallyrand said of the death of the exiled Napoleon. It was merely news. And not very exciting news at that.

Yet a half-century ago "Red Emma" and her anarchist propaganda scared many Americans nearly out of their wits. They really feared that a handful of wild-eyed anarchists would overthrow American democracy.

When death came to "Red Emma" in Toronto she was just a fat disillusioned old woman, whom age had mellowed. She had revisited her native Russia, after the Communists took it over, and had been disgusted with the conditions she found there. She spent her last years in capitalistic countries. She had been beaten by realities. She was only one of the many, who have tried to make this old world over, found it too big a job for them, and submitted to the inevitable.—Detroit Free Press.

### Canteen For Polish Army

#### Englishwoman Will Cater To Them Solely In France

Lady Warrender, wife of the Financial Secretary to the Admiralty, is going to France shortly with two mobile canteens, which she has organized just for the soldiers of the rebuilt Polish Army since there is already a fleet of canteens operating with the B.E.F., says an item in the Toronto Telegram. The Poles will be able to get anything from soap and razor blades to chocolate bars, and hot drinks like tea will also be served. Lady Warrender got her canteens under way when she realized the Polish soldiers got very poor pay and cannot afford to buy things from the shops. Every article she carries will be priced very cheaply.

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### GEMS OF THOUGHT

#### TRANQUILITY

What sweet delight a quiet life affords.—Drummond.

I have often said that all the misfortunes of men spring from their not knowing how to live quietly at home, in their own rooms.—Pascal.

The heart that is to be filled to the brim with holy joy must be held still.—Bowen.

To preserve a long course of years still and uniform, amid the uniform darkness of storm and cloud and tempest, requires strength from above—deep draughts from the fount of divine Love.—Mary Baker Eddy.

And the work of righteousness shall be peace; and the effect of righteousness quietness and assurance for ever.—Old Testament: Isaiah 32:17.

Serene will be our days and bright, And happy will our nature be, When love is an unerring light, And joy its own security. —William Wordsworth.

### U.S. Examines Recruits

#### Will Determine The Mental Fitness For Men At Enlistment

Many potential deserters and shell-shock victims will be eliminated from the United States emergency army before they ever don a uniform.

The American Psychiatric Association was told by its president, Dr. William Sandy, of Harrisburg, Pa., of plans to examine every recruit on his nerve as well as his physical capability.

He declared a military questionnaire is being circulated among psychiatrists, having as its objective "preparedness for meeting the requirements of any national emergency."

The association, he said, is seeking to have trained psychiatrists available at every station to assist other medical examiners in determining the mental fitness of recruits.

Under the plan it would no longer be possible for adventurous boys to lie their way into a uniform or for cases to pass examination and later become wards of the government.

### Manitoba Red Cross Society

#### Makes Another Big Shipment Of Supplies To Great Britain

May 14th another 15 big cases went forth containing supplies to the value of \$1468.77 and comprising the following: 1,344 abdominal bandages, 312 bed sheets, 924 triangular bandages, 120 dressing gowns, 411 pyjamas, 2,160 face cloths.

A new underfuselage flap recently invented gives a plane slower landing speeds and greater lift.

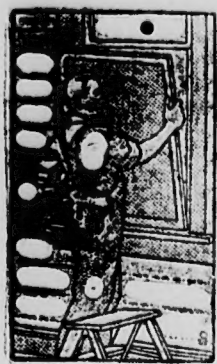
Live sponges would not be recognized as such by the layman. Some of them resemble raw beefsteak.

Only in fiction stories do animals' eyes glow in pitch darkness. In reality, there must be a light for the eyes to reflect.

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Olds School of Agriculture, June 24 to 28

Daily Sessions at 10 a.m. Picnic Lunch at 12 noon.

**SPECIAL FEATURES:** Hon. D. B. Mullen, Minister of Agriculture, will speak at Wednesday's picnic supper commencing at 6 p.m.

C. W. Porterson, Editor "The Farm and Ranch Review," speaks on Thursday evening at 8 p.m.

**LECTURES DEMONSTRATIONS DISCUSSIONS**  
Led by Prof. J. W. G. MacFawn, University of Saskatchewan, Prof. Sackville, D.S. Sinclair, Fryer, University of Alberta; F. M. Baker, Winnipeg; S. H. Shannon, Cloverdale, B.C. Everyone is Welcome.

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## Farm & Home Week June 24th to 28th

The Farm and Home Week, which is sponsored by the Department of Agriculture, will be held at the Olds School of Agriculture from June 24 to June 28. Lectures and demonstrations will be given in both the men's and women's sections by experts in the various departments.

In the men's department Monday will be devoted to Forage Crops; Tuesday to Draft Horses; Wednesday to Beef Cattle; Thursday to Dairy Cattle; and Friday will be Swine Day, when the bacon situation and the management and diseases of swine will be discussed.

In the women's section lectures will be given each day from Monday to Friday, including subjects on Cooking, Dressmaking, Poultry, Social Relations, Horticulture, Health, and Hygiene.

The Farm & Home Week gives an opportunity for both men and women of the farm to bring themselves up-to-date on the latest scientific information on agriculture and the farm-home and allows them to discuss their individual problems with the instructors.

The dormitory of the school will be opened, where board and room can be obtained at reasonable rates.

"BUY IN DIDSBURY"

## Knox United Church Notes

Sunday, June 23rd, will be observed as Anniversary Sunday at all points on the United Church charge. Rev. Harry S. McDonald, minister of Pleasant Heights United Church, of Calgary, and Judge of the Juvenile Court in Calgary, will be the guest speaker. Service at Westcott at 11 a.m., Westdale at 3 p.m., and Knox Church at Didsbury at 7:30 p.m. In the evening there will be special music by the Girls Choir and the Junior Choir.

On Monday, June 24th, the anniversary dinner and entertainment will be held. Dinner will be served by the Ladies Aid from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. This will be followed by entertainment at which the guest entertainer will be Miss Margaret Laurence, a promising elocutionist, a pupil of Miss Kathleen Greene. Miss Laurence will give dialectic interpretations in costume. She will be assisted by local artists in a variety program that will keep you interested from the start.

There is still a substantial debt on Knox Church and anniversary time would be a good time for anyone who so desires to make a special contribution towards the reduction of the debt.

Let us see you on Sunday and again on Monday so that this may be one of the best Anniversary occasions we have had.

## LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. Eddie Clemens, of Edmonton, called on his father, M. B. Clemens, on Friday.

Mrs. J. Emery, of Crossfield, was visiting the Cunningham family over the weekend.

Mr. A. Brusso attended the short course for municipal secretaries held at Edmonton this week.

Miss Betty Fulton, of J. V. Berscht & Sons, left on Sunday to spend her vacation at her home at Wardlaw, Alberta.

Holy Communion at St. Cyprian's Church, Didsbury, this Sunday, June 23rd, at 11 a.m.

No rum—but a rummage sale this Saturday—by the I.O.D.E., in the vacant store next door Nowak's shoe repair. Homecoming de luxe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Fletcher, of Red Deer, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Boorman on Sunday. Ernie was formerly on the Pioneer staff.

The Evangelical Ladies' Aid are holding a Strawberry Tea in the basement of their church this Saturday, June 22nd, 3 to 8 p.m. A welcome awaits you—come on along!

Blazing drama of the desert and the epic of the gallant brothers Geste at the movies Tonight-Fri-Sat. in "Beau Geste," featuring Gary Cooper, Ray Milland and Robert Preston.

The Didsbury & Carstairs Band will give a band concert in Didsbury on Saturday evening, June 29th. The Scouts will take up a collection for the Red Cross.

Every emotion the screen can ever give you—all in one magnificent picture, "Four Feathers," here next Mon.-Wed., with Ralph Richardson, C. Aubrey Smith and John Clements.

Mrs. J. R. Cunningham, who had been taking medical treatment at Calgary for the past few weeks, returned home on Friday. We are pleased to report that she is much improved.

Mr. A. G. Studer and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Beveridge left on Sunday for a motor trip to Vancouver. They will go via the U.S. route and return by the all-Canadian route and the Big Bend highway.

36-Hour Film Service at Law's Drug Store — 25c a roll.

A. Melville Anderson, Optometrist and Optician, 224-8th Avenue West, established in Calgary since 1910, will be at the Rosebud Hotel on Wednesday afternoon, June 26th. Also agent for the Western Electric Audiphone for the hard-of-hearing.

Dr. W. M. Welgan, D.D.S., of Edmonton, has taken over the practice of Dr. Liesemer, who has joined the Dental Corps of the C.A.S.F. He is a graduate of the University of Alberta and previously resided in Winnipeg.

Last Thursday the Minaret High School (nursery team of Didsbury High School) went to Crossfield and played the first hardball game of their lives. Winning the draw, Minaret were certain of the second prize of \$5.00. They were defeated 15-5 but report a very good game.

The I.O.D.E. invite you to the Rummage Sale and Sale of Home-cooking this Saturday, June 22nd, in the vacant store next to Nowak's shoe repair. Come early, avoid rush! People desiring to contribute articles for the rummage, should leave same at the store in the morning.

Mrs. Russell Fulkerth took the bus for Calgary on Saturday, to be a guest at the wedding of her cousin, Miss Vimy Nevard and Mr. Gordon Black, both of Calgary, the ceremony taking place at St. Barnabas' Church. Mrs. Fulkerth was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. E. Wackett, of Olds.

Poems from local authors have been accepted for publication in the 1940 edition of the "World's Fair Anthology of Verse," published by the Exposition Press of New York, and they also qualify in the \$100 poetry contest. The poems are "Angels of Mercy" by Miss Gladys Eby, and "Sunset Beyond the Rockies" by Miss Lila M. Nelson, of Har-mattan.

Your snapshots developed and printed at 25c roll — Law's Drug Store, 36-hour service.

Blankets are still required by the Red Cross.

Don't forget the musical program at the Evangelical Church tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

Raymond Bellamy of Edmonton, a former Didsbury school boy, recently enlisted in the Royal Canadian Air Force as aircraftman.

I.O.D.E. dance at Melvin Hall on Friday, July 5th, in aid of the I.O.D.E. Bomber. Good music, lunch served.

A whist drive will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy McNaughton on Thursday, June 27th. The proceeds will be in aid of the Red Cross. Everyone invited.

Films — Bring your snapshots to Law's Drug Store, 25c a roll, 36-hour service.

The Senior Ladies Aid of the Knox Church meets at the home of Mrs. W. J. McCoy on Friday, June 28th, at 3 p.m. Please note change of date.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Loader, Charles Loader and Mr. Frank Gooding left this morning on a motor trip to Seattle and Vancouver. Mr. Gooding will visit his brother, William Gooding, at Boston.

The Big Five Cup, donated by J. V. Berscht & Sons for local softball teams, is now on display in their window. The trophy is a handsome gold-plated affair on a wooden base and will be highly prized by the team to win it three consecutive years in the finals of the local Big Five League.

Rev. and Mrs. Fawcett had as their guest on Wednesday Mrs. Fawcett's sister, Miss Olive Nightingale, of Belleville, Ontario. Miss Nightingale is on the staff of the Belleville Ontario-Intelligencer, one of Ontario's foremost daily papers. Miss Beryl Fawcett, of Calgary, and Mr. Vernon Fawcett, student minister at Sundre, were also home for the day.

Come and enjoy a cup of tea, ice cream and strawberries at the Evangelical Ladies Aid tea, on Saturday, June 22nd.

For Sale:—A Star Beatty hand power washer in excellent condition Also a wringer

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## I.O.D.E. Bomber

The I.O.D.E. throughout Canada have undertaken the purchase of a bombing "plane" for the R.C.A.F.

Toward this project each Chapter has promised to raise funds and the Mons Chapter, Didsbury, is holding a dance on Friday, July 5th, at Melvin. Patriots of Didsbury and District are urged to get out and support to the utmost this national cause.

## SOFTBALL

In a Big 5 game on Saturday, Clovermount and Didsbury High battled it out over a 14 innings route only to deadlock the game, which will be played over at a later date.

In a closely contested feature on Monday night the local Counter Hoppers went down to defeat at the hands of Grand Centre in another Big 5 encounter. Pushing across 3 runs in the 5th and adding another in the 8th, while holding Hoppers scoreless until the 9th, the Centre boys were just value for their 4-1 win.

Large crowds are hoped for at all the remaining games, as the collection taken at the games will be put into the Ambulance Fund—so show your interest in the local team and at the same time support a worthy cause.

In a ding-dong tussle, played Tuesday night, Counter Hoppers managed to defeat Bergen 9-6. Going into the seventh with a 6-1 lead the Bergen club wilted and allowed the local store clerks to swat 6 runs to make it 7-6, adding 2 more in the 8th, the Hoppers emerged victors 9-6.

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## Ranton's

## Burnside Notes

Mr. Fred Metz called at the Schumaker home on Saturday evening.

A grand picnic and dance is to be held at Lone Pine Hall on June 28. Good music. Come, enjoy yourself.

Mrs. Matthew Brandon, of Vancouver, is spending a month as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bert Pross.

A number of little friends of Olwen Bittner were guests at her birthday party on Saturday afternoon.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Matter of the Estate of FRANCIS PERCY SAUNDERS, late of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the above-named Francis Percy Saunders, who died on the 19th day of March, A.D. 1940, are required to file with the undersigned, Solicitor for the executors of his estate, on or before the 8th day of August, 1940, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any security held by them, and that after that date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 18th day of June, A.D. 1940.

W. A. AUSTIN,

Didsbury, Alberta.

Solicitor for Francis Wm. Doyle and

Matthew John Doyle,

Executors of the will of

Francis Percy Saunders, deceased.

